Editorial Update

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Adopted Objectives (March 2019)

- Support a MAC data rate of 100 Gb/s
- Support a MAC data rate of 400 Gb/s
- Support full-duplex operation only
- Preserve the Ethernet frame format utilizing the Ethernet MAC
- Preserve minimum and maximum FrameSize of current IEEE 802.3 standard
- Provide appropriate support for OTN
- Support a BER of better than or equal to 10-12 at the MAC/PLS service interface (or the frame loss ratio equivalent) for 100 Gb/s operation
- Support a BER of better than or equal to 10-13 at the MAC/PLS service interface (or the frame loss ratio equivalent) for 400 Gb/s operation
- Define a single-wavelength 100 Gb/s PHY for operation over SMF with lengths up to at least 2 km
- Define a single-wavelength 100 Gb/s PHY for operation over SMF with lengths up to at least 10 km
- Define a four-wavelength 400 Gb/s PHY for operation over SMF with lengths up to at least 2 km
- Define a four-wavelength 400 Gb/s PHY for operation over SMF with lengths up to at least 10 km

http://www.ieee802.org/3/cu/Objectives_Approved_Mar_2019.pdf

Assumptions

- Reuse existing 100GbE and 400GbE logical and AUI clauses:
 - no changes anticipated for P802.3cu
 - see jackson_3cu_02_0519
- P802.3cu project is anticipated to add the following four new PHY types:
 - 100GBASE-FR
 - 100GBASE-LR
 - 400GBASE-FR4
 - 400GBASE-LR4

Baseline Proposals

- Required:
 - 100GBASE-FR
 - 100GBASE-LR
 - 400GBASE-FR4
 - 400GBASE-LR4
- Adopted:
 - None

Amended Clauses

Clause #	Clause Topic	Amendments
0	Front matter	
1	Definitions, abbreviations, etc.	New defs., abbrs., etc.
30	Management Objects	Add new 100G/400G PHY types
45	MDIO	Add new 100G/400G PHY types
78	EEE	Add new 100G/400G PHY types (optional fast wake EEE)
80	40GE/100GE introduction	Add new 100G PHYs to list
91	RS-FEC Sublayer	Add new 100G PHY types
116	400GE/200GE introduction	Add new 400G PHYs to list
140	100GBASE-DR, FR and LR PMD	Add new 100GBASE-FR and 100GBASE-LR PMDs

New Clauses

Clause #	Clause Topic	Potential Source
200 †	400GBASE-FR4 and 400GBASE-LR4 PMDs	Clause 122 (200GBASE-FR4/LR4) and Clause 140 (100GBASE-DR4)

† Clause number 200 is a placeholder until official clause number is assigned.

Status

- The editors continue to refine a P802.3cu D0.1 working draft, created to establish the document structure and expected level of technical changes. Reviewing with interested people for feedback.
 - If you would like to review the draft and provide feedback, please contact me.
- The D0.1 draft has placeholders (blanks) for the technical details at this point in time, and these will be filled in as we start adopting baseline proposals in Task Force.
 - Intent is for the editorial team to be ready to quickly generate a D1.0 document as soon all the baselines are adopted.

Goals for this meeting

- Adopt PMD nomenclature
 - jackson_3cu_01_0519
- Adopt the physical layer clauses associated with the proposed new PHYs
 - jackson_3cu_02_0519
- Review (and potentially adopt) PMD baseline proposals

Next Steps

• Work towards generating D1.0 with adopted baselines

P802.3cu Editorial Team

Editor	Duties
Gary Nicholl	Chief Editor and editor for clauses FM, 1, 30, 45, 78, 80, 91 and 116
David Lewis	Editor for optical clauses; Clause 140 (100GBASE-FR, 100GBASE-LR) and Clause 200* (400GBASE-FR4, 400GBASE-LR4)
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Thanks!